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presented to the Undersigned on or before the 30th Instant, or they will not be re-All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the Suth Instant, at No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, November 23, 1891. 2186 THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-

PANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM MIDDLESBROUGH, LIVER-

POOL AND SINGAPORE. []HE Company's S.S. Pingsucy having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo, are hereby in-formed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong. KONG & KOWLOOK WHARF & GODOWN Co., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon, on the 26th Instant, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods

are to be left in the Godowns, where they will the 28th Instant, at Noon; be examined on the 24th Instant. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 26th will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded un-.50 less notice to the contrary be given before 10 a.m. To-DAY. Bilis of Lading will be countersigned by FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, LCNDON.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, November 20, 1891. 2175

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STEAMSHIP MELEOURNE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex S.S. Erymantheand Douro, from Havre ex S.S. Ergmanthe, and from Bordeaux ex S.S. Nantes Bordeaux, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods-with the exception of Opium. Treasure and Valuables -are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. OptionalCargo will beforwarded on, unless Intimation is received from the Consignees before 9 s.m. To-DAY (Friday), the 20th

Goods remaining unclaimed after Fri-DAY, the 27th November, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at one. cent per packet per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before FRIDAY, the 27th November, or they

will not be recognised. Damaged Packages will be examined on FRIDAY, the 27th November, at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkeug, November 20, 1891.

Notices to Consignees.

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AND BATAVIA. THE Steamship Borneo, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside,

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FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE [THE S.S. Arratoon Apear having arrived

of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after the 23rd Instant will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into Ports TO-MORROW, the 25th Instant, at Messrs, N. Mody & Company's Godown, Daylight. at Wanchai.

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Hongkong, November 20, 1891. 2173

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Gwalior,
Capt. J. F. JEPHSON, will leave for the above places on SATURDAY,

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Hongkong, November 24, 1891. 2176 DOUGLAS STRAMSHIP COMPANY.

LIMITED. I from the above Ports, Consiguees FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUL The Co,'s Steamship

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Hongkong, November 17, 1891. 2169

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALOUTTA. The Steamship Arratoon Antar. Captain J. G. Spance, will be despatched for

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NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR BAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID,

MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA, MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIL, AND LA PLATA;

LONDON, HAVRE AND BORDEAUX. ON WEDNESDAY, the 2nd December, 1891, at Noon, the Company's

Steamship NATAL, Commandant VERRON, WILL MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and socepted in transit through Marseilles for the

principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Cargo will be received an board until 4 mm., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 1st December, 1891. (Parcels are not

te be sent on board; they must be jest at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are re-For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. DE OHAMPKAUX,

Hongkong, November 19, 1891.

NORDDEUTSUHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG,

PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA & BALTIC PORTS; LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS GALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN

PORTS. THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL 12 SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS

AND LUGGAGE. N.B. Cargo can be taken on through Bills

of Lading for the principal places in RUSSIA. NSATURDAY, the 19th day of December, 1891, at 3 p.m., the Company's S.S. PRHUSSEN, Capt. W. REIMKASTEN,

with MATLS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this port as above, Shipping Orders will be granted till 5 p.m. on the 18th December, Cargo will be received on board until 1 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 10 a.m. on the 19th December. (Parcels are not to be sent on board : they must be left at the AGENOY'S

Office). Contents of Packages is required.
The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, November 23, 1891.

Entertainments.

THEATRE CITY HALL

Under the Patronage of His Excellency Major-General G. DIGBY BARKER C.B., Administering the Government.

On SATURDAY EVENING NEXT, the 28th November.

THAREWELL ENTERTAINMENT WILL BE GIVEN BY THE LORNE ATHLETIC CLUB

BAND OF THE PRINCESS LOUISE'S ABOYLL & SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDERS.

The following is the BAND PROGRAMME:-1 .- Overture .. William Tell, Rossini 2. - Cornet } 'The Star of England,' Farrell Polka (3.—Gloe Windsgently Whisper, Whittaker.
4.—Air & Vario... Mosaio, Riviere. 5. - Musical) 'The Jolly /

Joke | Musicians. 6.—Grand Na- (Episodes in a kappey tional Fantasia (Soldier's Life,)

Rumours of War-Troops assemble Embarkation On Board-Disombarkation -The Camput Night-The Enemy attempts a Surprise - But is fulled - Fire - Advance _Charge_The Battle_Victory_Finale_ See the Conquering Hero Comes. RULE BRITANIA

HORIZONTAL BAB. VAULTING THE HORSE. SWORD EXERCISE.

MUSICAL DRILL (by the Boys) and COMIC BOXING SCENE, By THE LORNE ATHLETIC OLUB.

Tickets, \$2 and \$1-to be obtained at Mesars. Kelly & Walsh, where a Plan of Soldiers and Sailors, 25 Cents.

To commence at 9 p.m. -The Surplus, i any, will be devoted to the Garrison Female | Canton, for Swatow and Shanghai. and Soldiers & Sailors' Institutes.

"GOD SAVE THE QUEEN." Hongkong, November 23, 1891. 2101

To-day's Advertisements.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF

HONGKONG. IN BANKRUPTOY.

ATOTICE -OHARLES ALEXANDER TOMES, lately Trading with others under the Style or Firm of RUSSELL & p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel CO., at No. 9, Praya Central, Victoria, Packages will be received at the office until Hongkong, and elsewhere Merchant, 5 p.m., same day; all Parcel Packages having been adjudged BANKRUPT under a Creditors Petition for adjudication in Bankruptcy filed in the Supreme Cour Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo of Hongkong on the 20th day of July dastined to points beyond San Francisco, 1891, a PUBLIC SITTING for the

said Bankrupt to pass his Last Examination and make application for his addressed to the Collector of Gustoms at San Order of Discharge will be held before the Supreme Court on SATURDAY, the 5th day of December, 1891, at 11 of the clock

Dated the 24th day of November, 1891 BRUCE SHEPHERD. 2193 among man and Acting Registrar.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s ford and A Behm. Steamship
Pekin,
Captain P. HARRIS, will leave for the above place TO-MORROW,

the 25th Instant, at 4 p.m. E. A. HEWETT. for Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, 📆 Hongkong, November 24, 1891.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA SAKI AND KOBE (Passing through the INLAND SEA. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Stemmship

Captain W. D. MUDIE, will leave for the above places on THURS-DAY, the 26th Instant, at Daylight, and Tennant, and Miss Howard. not as previously advertised.

E. A. HEWETT, for Superintendent. Hongkong, November 24, 1891.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. The Co.'s Steamship

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

Captain Ashron, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 26th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, November 24, 1891.

AKIN BROS. OF CHINA, Ltd.,

CHEMISTS, do.

WINES AND SPIRITS.

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HONGKONG. LONDON-AMOY.

SHIPPING. ARRIVALS. November 23, 1891 :-Rio, German steamer, 1,287, Ulderup Wuhu Novomber 19, Rice, -WIELER & Co.

November 24 -

Pediawur, British stoamer, 2, 136, W. A.

Wheler, Shanghai November 21, Mails and General,-P. & O. S. N. Co. Oanfa, British steamer, 1,970. Shaw. Foochow November 22, General. -- ARN-

Taicheong, German steamer, 828, P. Duhme, Deli and Singapore November 15, General .- MRYER & Co. Peking, German steamer, 954, F. Schulz, Shanghai November 20, General.—Siems-

HOLD, KARBERG & Co.

BEN & Co. Naushan, British steamer, 805, Joseph Blackburne, Newchwang November 18, Pens and Boan Oil .- Hop Hing Hong.

Haitan, British str., 1,183, S. Ashton, Foochow November 20, Amor 22, and Swatow 23, General, - Douglas Steamshit Co. Loo Sok, British steamer, 1,020, A. Benson, Bangkok November 14, Rice and General, -YUEN FAT HONG. Priam, British steamer, 1,802, Willing.

Liverpool October 10, and Singapore Nov. 16, General, -BOTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Maric, German str., 704, J. Fatersen, Newchwang November 18, Beans, - WIELER

Pakshan, British str., from Whampoa. Pekin, British steamer, 2,133, P. Harris, London October 8, and Singapore Nov. 17, Mails and General. -P. & O. S. N. Co. B nj. F. Bunt, American barque, 1,131, Howard, New York May 39, Oil, -JARpine, Matheson & Co.

General.—C. M. S. N. Co. Glengarry, British steamer, 1,957, F. Selly, Shanghai November 21, and Amoy 23. Ballast. - JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Namyoug, British steamer, 934, W. S.

Smith, Singapore November 15, General.

DEPARTURES.

November 24 :-Cosmopolit, for Touron. Activ. for Halphong, Allair, for Whampea. Amigo, for Kobe. Bernee, for Amov. Peking, for Whampon.

-- BUN MOR & CO.

CLEARED

Frejr, for Holhow. Hampshire, for Singapore Ghazee, for Shanghai. Hangchow, for Saigon. Polling, for Yokohama, Fokica, for Swatow.

PASSENGERS

ARRIUBD. Per Rio, from Wuhu, 3 Chinese. Per Oanfa, from Foochow, Mr J. C.

Per Taicheong, from Deli, 486 Chinese. Per Haiton, from Foochow, &c., Mr Mr and Mrs Geo. B. Mr Poate Pim. and 218 Chinese. Per Loo Sok, from Bangkok, Miss Aitken, Mr Goetz Capt. D. Henderson, Messis H. Norman.

Brown, 2 Europeans, and 73 Chinese. Per Prium, from Singapore, 255 Chinese. Mr and Mrs. Hagan Mr Taylor. Per Peshawar, from Shanghai : for Hongkong, Hon. J. J. Keswick, and Mrs Keswick and native servant, Mrs G. D. Scott, child] and amah, Mr J. F. Reece and native ser. Mr D. R. Law. vant, Messra F. W. Jenkins, A. La Rue, and 9 hinese; for Venice, Lieut. C. Rainer; for Brindisi, Lieuts. A. Pogasgano, M. Origo, Messrs C. Myrick, J. Ryan, A. P. Dexter, J. T. Evans, P. J O'Den and W. Darlington a for London, Messrs H. Craw-

Per Chimun, from Shanghai, 46 Chinese. Per Pekin, for Hon kong from London, Mr and Mrs H. K. Sturdee, Miss Sinclair, Miss Codrington, Miss Bryer, and Col. Molloy; from Brindisi, Mr and Mrs Merrill, and Mr Gladky; from Penang, Messrs R. Young and E. L. Hunter; from Singapore, Mrs Hunter, Mr P. Casgram, and 61 Chinese. For Shanghai from London, Miss Brown, Miss Palmer, Miss Wilgery, Miss Gower, Miss L. J. Cubitt, Miss Stenhouse, Miss Ongon, Mr A. Liggins, Miss K. Lay, Miss Stanley, Mr Norman, and Mrs Amy For SHANGHAL. -Foster : from Brindisi, Mr H. T. Price. For Yokohama : from London, Mr G. Lay, and Mr H. Barlow; from Bombay, Major Lye; from Colombo, Mr Mercer. For

Kobe: fgom London, Miss Wood, Miss Per Glengarry, from Shanghai, Captain and Mrs Freeman and infant, and 104 Chi-

Per Namyong, from Sinoapore, 358 Chi-

DEPARTED. Per Cosmopolit, for Touron, 25 Chinese.

Per Activ, for Haiphong, 20 Chinese.

SHIPPING REFORTS. The British ateamer Perhawur reports: ad strong monsoon throughout passage. The British steamer Canfa reports: Had strong monsoon and fine clear weather. The German steamer Zaicheong reports : Heavy N. N. E. gale on the 20th, 21st, and

22nd November. The British steamer Nanshan reports From Newchwang to Saddle light Easterly wind and fine weather; from there to port, strong N.E. monsoon and fine weather. The British steamer Haitan reports : Left Fouchow 20th November, had moderate breeze and fine weather, but cloudy. Left Amoy 22nd, had moderate breeze and fine weather. Left Swatow 23rd, had strong N. E. breeze and fine weather. Steamers in Foochow, Canfa and Palinurus. Strs. in Amoy, Sishan, Bentedi, and B.M.S.

Imperiouse. Steamers in Swatow, Taiwan, Kungpai and Avochie. The British steamer Loo Sok reports: Bangkok to Cape Varella, light Westerly winds and fine weather; thence to Hongkong, strong Northerly gale and high sea. The British steamer Priam reports: Left Singapore November 16th, noon, Spoke Ismir, of Windsor, U.S., all well latitude 4° 55' N., longitude 106° 25' E. The Chinese steemer Chiquen reports: Left Shanghai 3 p.m., November 18th, Amoy 4:30 p.m., 22nd, Swatow 5:30 p.m., 23rd, and arrived Hongkong 12.30 p.m., November 24th. Strong monsoon, and following sea throughout, clear pleasant.

The British steamer Pekin reports: Left Singapore 2.30 p.m., 17th November, and had light winds from S.W. and W. till morning of 19th; theu light increasing wind from North, and heavy swell, barometer falling. Nov. 20th, moderate gale from N.W., high cross sea and unsettled looking weather. Nov. 21st, 2.30 p.m., strong breeze from N.W., a high confused breaking sea from N.E., heavy cloud bank extending from N.N.W. to East. Every indication of a typhoon to the N.-East. Stood South for three hours to avoid it. Barometer ceasing to fall, and commencing to rise at 5.30 p.m., resumed course to the N. East. At 9.30 p.m., barometer again falling and wind increasing from North-West with high confused sen, stood South till 3 a.m. 22nd, barometer then steady at 11.15 A.M. Regis ry closes. 29.65. Put ship on her conrecto the N .- 11.30 A.M. Post-Office closes, but Corres-East, and at 6 a m., the Barometer com-

menced to rise. Fresh N.-East gales on

Sunday afterno in and evening, very heavy

Business Notices.

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Date of Leaving. Destination A jents. Havrs, L'don & H'burg Flintshire (s)........ Dodwell, Carlill & Co. December 1... Chi-yuen, Chinese str., 1,211, C. R. Null, London, v. Suez Canal P dinurus (s)....... Butterfield & Swire November 25. London & Ports of Call Pakling (s)...... Arnhold, Karberg & Co. About Dec. 14. Manila, via Amoy..... Zafiro (s)...... shewan & Co......... Nov. 26, at 4 p.m. Marseiles, v. Saigon Natal (s)...... Messageries Maritimes Dec. 2, at noon. ... Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About Dec. 10. New York, v. SuezCanal Collougham (s)...... Port Darwin, &c..... Laiynan (s)........... Butterfield & Swire... November 30. S. Francisco, v. Japan City of Poking (s) Pacific Mail S. S. Co. Nov. 25, at 1 p.m. Norddeutscher Lloyd. Quick despatch. Shanghai Proussen (s) Arnhold, Karbarg&Co. Nov. 25, daylight. S'pore, Penang & O'tta Arratoon Appar (8) D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. Nov. 27, at noon. Siemssen & Co....... Vov. 26, at 10 a.m. S'pore, Havre & H'bur . Hesperia (a)...... P. & O. S. N. Co..... Nov. 28, at noon. Straits and Bombay. ... Gwalior (a)...... Douglas Lapraik & Co. Nov. 25, daylight. Swatow, Amoy & Usui Fokien (s)..... S'tow, Amoy & F'chow Huitan (s)..... Douglas Lapraik & Co. Nov. 26, at 11 a.m. Vancouver (B.O. & Empress of India (s)... Janadian Pho R. Co. Dec. 8, at noon. Y'hama, Kobő & N'saki General Werder (s)... Norddeutscher Lloyd. About Nov. 28.

rain and lightning. At 10 p.m. sea so high and confused, had to ease engines because of violent vacing. Strong N.E. monsoon the rest of the way and fine weather from 4. a.m. the 23rd. The barometer at Boon, 24th, 30.20, having risen steadily since 3 a.m., the 22ad. The British a camer Namyong reports Had light variable South-Westerly winds to 10° N., West to N.N.W., strong, to 13°

field Bank ; then strong N. E. winds to port. MOUNT AUSTIN HOPEL. LIST OF VISITORS.

N. ; F.S.E. fresh gale off S.E. of Maccles-

Mr J. B. Coughtrie Mr Meyerink Dodwall & children Miss Reading Mr A. Ross Mr F. W. Stapleton Mr Goosmann Mr C. L. Gorham Mr Stenhouse Mr Tonzalin

Mr and Mrs. Heems- Mr Uidell

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

kerk and children Mr R. W. Wood

MAILS will close:-For YOKOHAMA & KOBE.-Per Polluce, at 9.30 a.m., on Wednesday,

the 25th inst. For SAIGON:-Por Hangchow, at 11.30 a.m., on Wednesday, the 25th inst. For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA

Per Ancona, at 11.30 a.m., on Wednesday, the 25th inst. For AMOY & SHANGHAL -Per Priam, at 3.30 p.m., on Wednesday,

the 25th inst. Per Pekin, on Wednesday, the 25th inst. For Shanging, Registry ceases at 2.45 p.m. Muil closes at 3 p.m. Late Letters received from 3.10 to

3.30 with 10 cents Late Fee. For SINGAPORE, COLOMBO & LON-DON.--Per Ounfa, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday, the

For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW .-Per Haitan, at 10.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 26th inst.

For AMOY & MANILA.-Per Zafiro, at 3.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 20th inst. For STRAITS & CALCUTTA .--Per Arrateon Apear, at 11.30 s.m., on Friday, the 27th inst.

For SWATOW & BANGKOK .--Per Chow Fa, at 9.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 28th inst. For STRAITS & BOMBAY.—

Per Gwalior, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 18th inst. NEW YEAR PARCELS. Parcels for the United Kingdom posted before 3 p.m., on Wednesday, November 25th, are due in

London on January 6th. Senders of Parcels are requested to post them a few days in advance. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. -

The United Status Mail Packet City Peking will be despatched on WEDNES-DAY, the 25th Listant, with Mails for Amoy, Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:-15 P.M. Registry ceases.

0.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packot, with Late Fee of 10 cents extra | BAROMETER - 9 A.M. ... 30.19 Postage; until the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. -The British Contract Packet Peshawur will , be despatched on THURSDAY, the 26th Instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c. . .

MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAIL-WAY Co.'s PACKET .--The British Contract Packet Empress India will be despatched on TUES DAY, the 8th December, with Mails for Shanghai, Japan, Canada, the United States of America, and countries beyond, via Vancouver, B.C. The following hours will be observed in

closing the Mails, &c.pondence may be posted on board the Packet with the Late Fee of 10 cents entra l'estage, until time of departure. N. Möller, Wieler & Co.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.— The French Contract Packet Natal will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd December, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places be-yond, vid Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmali, Ceylon, Madras, the Australasian Colonies. Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed

closing the Mails, &c. EOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS

When the Packets leave at Noon. The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A.M. -Posting of Prices Current and

Circulars ceases.

(Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock by country, with the addresses all great variety. one way). 10.00 a.m.—Registry chases. 10.30 A.M.-Posting of Newspapers,

Books, and Patterns ceases. Za Late Letters may be posted (from 11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 a.m., after which hour they may be sent on Board with the same Late

Quotations. Hongkong, Nov. 24, 1891. OPIUM-New Patna, cash,... 4871 .. cash,... 505 New Benares, cush, 4621 cash, no stock New Malwa credit, 490 Allowance, Catties. 3/5 Old Malwa, credit, 500/30 Allowance, Catties. 3/4 Persian, Oily, cash, 320 Allowance, Catties. 3/5 Persian, Paper tied 300 Allowance, Catties. 3/5 Exchange, Hongkong, November 24.

On London --Bank, Wire, 3/03 On demand, ... 3/07 30 days' sight. 3/1 4 months' sight, Credita, 4 .. Documentary, 4 months' sight, 3/12 On Paris— On demand, Oredits, 4 months' sight, ..., 3.97 On Berlin-On demand, ... On New York-On demand, 742 Credits, 60 days' sight, ... 76 On Bombay-On Calcutta-On demand, 221 On Shanghai— On demand, 72 30 days' sight, private paper, 727 Gold Leaf, 100 fine (por tael) \$33.15 Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate)\$ 6.39

Temperature. (Taken at Messes Falconer & Co.'s Premises, Queen's Road.) 1 P.M.... 30,12 4 P.M.... 30.13 THERMOMETER-9 A.M.... 1 P.M. ... 71 4 P.M. ... 71 (Wet bulb) 9 A.M. 64 Do. 1 р.м. 65 4 P.M. 66 Do. 71 Do. Maximum ... Do. Minimum over night 67

Not Responsible for Debts.

Meither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkony Harbour :-ADAM W. SPIES, American barque, Capt. H. Rowlands. - Shewan & Co. tensen. - Kong Wing Tai. MARY STEWART, British barque, Captain George C. Thompson. Master. SACHEM, American ship, Captain J. C. Bartlett. - Jardine, Matheson & Co. THEBESE, German barque, Captain W

MEMUS. FOR TO MORROW

Shipping. Daylight. - Fokien leaves for Swatow, &c. Daylight .- Hampshire leaves for S'pore. 1 p.m.-P. M. S. S. Co.'s Steamer leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco. 4 p.m. - Pekin leaves for Shanghai. Palinurus leaves for London.

Auctions. 2.30 p.m.-Auction of Gold and Silver Watches at Messrs Gordon & Co.'s.

General Memoranda.

THURSDAY, November 26 :--Goods per Pingsucy undelivered after this date subject to rent.

FRIDAY, November 27:-Goods per Steamer Methourne unclaimed after Noon subject to rent.

MONDAY, November 30 :--List of Contributions to the Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld., to be sent in before this date.

List of Contributions to the China Fire Goods per Chazes undelivered after this date subject to rent.

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Hongkong, November 2, 1891. MARRIAGES. On the 14th November, at the Cathedral. Shanghai, Francis James, youngest son of E. F. Roche, Esq. of County Cork, Ireland, to KATHLEEN CLARA, eldest daughter Haitan left on the 22nd, and she is expected of W. F. Stock, Esq., M.P., of Adelaide, here on Thursday. South Australia. On the 18th Inst., at Trinity Cathedral, Shanghai, by the Rev. H. C. Hodges, M. A., PERCY FRANCIS LAYERS, of Chefoo, to BUITH MARY HAMILTON, eldest daughter of Fre-

the Rev. Father Van Doscelsere, FIRMING HERCULANO DO ROZABIO to DAISY. On the 11th Oct., on board s.s. Hydaspes, BROOKS HASELWOOD, R.N.R., Commander P. & O. Company's Service, aged 42. At Shaughai General Hospital, on the Farmer. 12th Nov., Carl Bailey, aged 31 years.
At No. 3, Woosung Road, Shanghai, on WE are sorry to hear that Sergeant Peter the 16th November, Maritipa, the beloved Wife of John Howes, aged 56 years.

derick Hayley Bell, Esq., of Shanghai.

At Shanghai, on the 19th November, by Monday evening, the 23rd instant.

The publication of this issue commenced at 7.00 p.m.

The China Mail.

TELEGRAMS. [SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA MAIL."]

(Via Southern Line.)

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1891

FRANCO-RUSSIAN TREATY DENIED Loxbon, 21st November, 1891. Nicholas Carlovitch de Giers (Russian & few days Minister for Foreign Affairs) at Paris authoritatively declared that no Treaty of Anon, Norwegian barque, Capt. A. Chris. Alliance with France had been concluded (From Straits and Ceylon Papers.)

FAILURE OF THE BERLIN BANK— THE Itis leaves Shanghal on 15th property SUICIDE OF TWO OF THE for Hankow to relieve the Well white will return to Shanghal and remain over

middle and artisan classes, has become in volved owing to the recent failure of Hirsch-fold's Bank. Two of the partners have committed suicide. On the news of the bank's difficulties becoming known a crowd besieged the doors, clamoring for the return of their deposits. Berlin, Nov. 9th. It is stated that the

liabilities of the Berlin Bank amount to several million marks, whilst the salets are London, 11th Nov .- Owing to the fallure of the Berlin Bank a great run has been made on the principal banks of Berlin, and

intense excitement prevails. BRAZIL

The provinces of Rio Grands do Sul, and Para, have declared for autonomy. There is general discontent. [Rio Grande Do Sul is the southernmost province of the Brazilian Republic with an area of over 110,000 square miles and a population estimated at exceeding 430,000 inhabitants. During the empire it was noted for separatist tendencies and revo-lutionary outbreaks. The province of Para lies on the Lower Amszon. Its area of ist of Contributions to the China Fire 443,000 square miles contains about 340,000 Insurance Co., Ld., to be sent in before inhabitants. The great distance of this province from the Capital furthers an autonomous movement. Financial minimanage. ment and gross official jobbery have brought the republican rulers of Brazil into discredit and aroused disaffection in the provinces. The sectional jealousies which

> public will fall to pieces.] THE RUSSIAN FAMINE. London, Nov. 12.—It is estimated that the famine in Russia will entail an outlay during the next six months of eight hundred million roubles; this sum is equal to

> prompted surmises that the Brazilian Re-

the whole budget. The paper rouble in 1888 fell as low as 20d, but has risen since to about 231d. Taking this rouble at 23d, the amount

reaches over £76,009,000.] THE HURRICANE IN THE CHANNEL London, 13th Nov. The storm raged throughout Great Britain and was the severest experienced for many years; there have been numerous wrecks on the South East Coast of England and about forty

lives have been lost." THE REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL. Marshal Deodoro da Fonseca, the President of the Brazilian Republic, has suspended the constitutional guarantees and oppointed a commission to summarily try

the insurgents. LOCAL AND GENERAL

PASSED BUEZ CAMAL Teresa, 27; Ajan, Joson, Merionethshire, Kriemhild, Nov. 3: Ningchow, 9; Agamemnon, Canton, Djemnak Ningchow, Tornington, 10 Colombo, Foyle, 13; Diomed, Lydia, 17; Glenfruin, Pathan, Ainsdale, 20.

HOMEWARD BOUND :- Chinquo. Telamon, Nov. 10; Bayern, Electra, Falamed, Metapedia, 17; Stentor, 20. The Norddeutscher Lloyd S. S. Company's steamship Preusen, with the Gree-MAN MAIL of 27th Oct , left Singapore on Saturday, Nov. 21, at midnight, and

may be expected here on or about Friday, the 27th Nov. The O. & O. Co.'s a. a. Occasio, with the AMERICAN MATE of October 3rd, left Yokohama on Tuesday, Nov. 24th at daylight, and may be expected here on

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The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's steamer Empress of Jupan left Vancouver for Japan, Shanghai and Hongkong on Nov. 19. The P. and O. Co.'s steamer Bombey left Singapore for this port on the 18th

about the Nov. 24

The s.s. Chelydra, from Straits and Calcutta, left Singapore for this port on the 19th Nov., and may be expected here on or about the 26th Nov. left Singapore on Nov. 20th, and may be expected here on or about Nov. 27,

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London and Straits, left Singapore on 23rd Nov., and may be expected here on or about the 30th Nov. THE delivery of the English Mail was be-

gun at 2.25 p.m.

H.M.S. Imperieuse was at Amoy when the

The Glen Line steamship Glengue, from

THE amount realised by the Promenade Concert in aid of the Japanese Earthquake Fund was \$200.28

Messas Jardine, Matheson & Co. inform us that the s. s. Glengyle, from London and Straits for this port, left Singapore ou

A CHINESE school-master was fixed \$50 bg Mr Wise to-day for baving been found at Brindisi, suddenly, RICHARD WYHAND in possession of 20 tacle of propared opium without a certificate from the Opium

> Jones of the Hongkong Police succumbed yesterday afternoon at the Givil Hospital to an attack of fever. As he had been stationed at Aberdeen for the last eighteen months we fear he must be regarded as another victim of the poisonous exhalations from the dismal swamp in that peighbourhood which have been the death of to many Europeans. Sergeant Jones joined the police eighteen years ago and carned an excellent record as a careful and cons leutious officer. He was one of the biggest and best-liked men in the force.

> A NATIVE paper says the Ichang riol claims are being negotiated and it is arpeated that an amicable arrangement will be come to in

> SEVERAL heads of Kolnos are placed in cages and hung up in versons localities in Hankov as a warning to the impassions members of the Society .- Valine peaks

Berlin, Nov. 7th. - The B rlin Bank, of Chrisimas. There will comagonality he por which the depositors consist chiefly of the German gunboat at Tientain this winter.

to Lugobow, Mr E. Ludlow succeeds him in charge of the Customs at Ichang.

THE Daily Advertiser, a paper recently ing the N.E. monsoon, if they can belp it, present muon. established in Singapore, thus refers to an the chances are that the Volturno will be socident that occurred in Hongkong :- The relieved some time next spring. -Shanghai | THE'N.-C. Daily News of 20th instant says collapse of two Chinese horses in Hong. Mercury. kong, probably jerry built, resulted in the death of one and the injury of several

VICE ADMIRAL Watson's Flag-Lieutenant Troubridge will remain at Halifax, N.S. to superintend the transportation of British sailors to the Pacific and China Squadrons. The mon will be carried to the Pacific Coast by special trains, which will endenyour to beat the record recoully made by the train taking the Japan mails.

DURING the military examinations Nanking, a runner standing about 10 yards from the target received an arrow in the shoulder from a student competitor. While the sufferer was howling with pain and rage, a joker close by upbraided him for standing so far away from the target, adding that if he had stood nearer he would not have been hit at all. Upon which the runner was mollified and went away laughing .- Shenpao. -

Archer, and the British gun-boat Linnet; at Chinking, the British gun-ressel Swift.

Instructions have been sent, to all 'he provincial officials within his jurisdiction Native paper.

We learn that the cholers which was raging in Kirin in October has now subsided, and The country north of Kirin is in a very disturbed state just now. This condition of things is chronic in the region, but more then over this year. To add to the Our Tientsin correspondent writes us that normal water de lirm in which the country he had been making a trip in the country is kept, the banditti are now armed round to see the condition of the people. with foreign repeating rifles of the newest He found everything pleasant and friendly pattern .- N.-C. Daily New.

Ir is reported that the son of H.E. Haush, Chinese Minister to England and France. -the young gentleman who took such an active part in the posting-up of anti-Foreign placards, andrin fomenting the riot and destruction of mission property at Woosieh, has been appointed to a Taotaithip. If this be true it indicates pretty strongly the feelings of the Government with regard to the recent troubles, and proves that the wages of sin ' committed against the hated Foreigner in Chius, is not death, but reward and promotion .-Shanghai Mercury. Africant

Two price of rice in the island of Luzon has been rising in an alarming manner. The Philippines formerly produced enough grain not only for home consumption but believe that England will certainly continue there would be a total force of 19,500 men. by the Company, altering their Memograin the outstand of the British Company is put up at Tasweihea in the inn belonging friendliness, which has deeply touched me. conferences with British Commissioner put up at Tasweihea in the inn belonging friendliness, which has deeply touched me. conferences with British Commissioner put up at Tasweihea in the inn belonging friendliness, which has deeply touched me. conferences with British Commissioner put up at Tasweihea in the inn belonging friendliness, which has deeply touched me. conferences with British Commissioner put up at Tasweihea in the inn belonging friendliness, which has deeply touched me. now, cultivation has fallen off so much that | View to the Calais and Cholons route to incorporation of the militis, M. de Lan- a limited liability company with a fully to Ch'iso Lin. You Chao-bea, and his comstand, no improvement can be expected eighteen carriages went from Paris to owing to the exhaustion of the rice-grow- Calais on the 16th just, in 3 hours 35 ing land, and the unremunerative return of minutes. the pursuit to growers. Even a protective duty on imported rice has failed to make a change for the better. The laziness of the cultivating classes in Luzon has largely contributed to this untoward turn of events. Even prizes and bountles have failed to arouse them to industry.

THERE are signs that in some quarters an attempt will be made shortly to induce the Admiralty to build more gunboats for river work in Chius. The Army and Navy Gazeite mys :-- We hope it will be unsuc-The complaint is made that we have no years of sufficiently light draught to go up to Hankow, Woochang, and Ichang, when the river is low, and that therefore we want the old type of guatoat specially designed for river service. The policy of the Admiralty since 1884, not to build any vessels which it would be necessary to lay up in war-time, is one which senst commend itself to every thinking man, especially when it is undeniable that funds for war ship building are limited, and that money taken for inefficient ships means less for the others. If gunboals are meeded for China rivers, it would be far better to send out the old river class, which are absolutely useless at home; but a proposal to build any more of them would meet with a chorus of disapproval from every naval officer of experience.

A CORRESPONDENT Writes us from Hankow that he had just met a Bachelor of Arts, not a Christian, who had just returned from Changaha, the capital of Hunan, where he had been attending the examinations. He brought back with him a handsome volume, full of pictures and of articles of the smoet revolting obscenity. The whole book sorry when he parted company with them. against Christianity, and it is difficult to about 40 British men of war's men, who having assaulted and falsely imprisoned dicated by looking at was at once soted. believe that any man could be shameless attended the performance of 'Aladdin,' a man named Chan Pao Shan, on board By this happy artifice, all the performance of 'Aladdin,' enough to compile such a volume. It is said given by the 'Rising Generation,' and sub the s.s. Memnon on the 14th inst. Mr been drawn to this sparticular theatre, and to be the work of a retired Taotai, a native mitted without a murmur to the injunction Denays appeared for the prosecution and the other one has been compelled to closs of Changeha, who is now living there with enforced by the police not to smoke, a Dr. Ho Kai for the defence. his family. It is not known who finds the very commendable rule todaed, in any The complainant said—I have lived in terday during the play some half a dezen money. This Teors has had innumerable | theatre. The explanation was that they all Hongkong for about ten years and have roughs rushed into the people and smashed pictures and blocks cut. He has them bound | were 'good conduct men,' else they would | known defendant for the last two or three up the theatre furniture, etc. Who these up in volumes, and gives them to the book. not have been allowed on shore at night. years. On November 14th I and my wife roughs were, no one knows; but possibly shops with orders to give a copy to every Anyway, a navy with auch a crowd of men and mother-in-law went on board the a.s. the other theatre could give some inform. ground whatever for the charge of entiring each corner of this platform, upon which an speak of a surplus with the present flooring. one who asks for one, or who comes in to attending a public entertainment in such Memnon to proceed to Sandakan. At 6 ation on the subject if it was inclined. hny heals. They are to be given at a rebe con_ratulated on the high state of ing up some watches when the defendant thermometer stands at 46° in the wind to-Changsha from other provinces, in order efficiency and discipline kept up on board came and spoke to my wife, asking her day. that they may be as widely disseminated as the ships. possitte. While the condidates were assembled at Changeha for the examinations, this Taotai went among them personally, recom- Ourside the north gate of Wusieh a he seized me by the queue with one mending these books. He pointed out the native cash bank was broken into by hand and struck me twice on the passages showing how to prevent the Chinese several men with swords and lighted body with the other. He dragged me passages and studies by parlous punish. I borohes. The accountant offered \$20 to along the passage. A compradore met We are assured by parlous punish. torohes. The accountant offered \$20 to along the passage. mecoming currents by various puntant of their lege can clearly be seen by the ments, anchorage meaning meaning meaning meaning and and many of seen by the tens, will keep them until next season. travels in our land is protected to the ut. and one on the other side. Moreover, a stamples. 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They probably exaggerate the real state of most of our power and treated with the committee of persons from among the said. They probably exaggerate the real state of most of our power and treated with the committee of persons from among the said. unite to drive all Christians out of Hunan, ordered him to take them to the saie, at and said a was a standard on the platform, and a foregain of which they demanded more, me all and steer showing a please of paper the case when they demanded more, me all and steer showing a please of paper the case when they demanded more, me all and steer showing a please of paper the case when they demanded more, me all and steer showing a please of paper the case when they demanded more, me all and steer showing a please of paper the case when they demanded more, me all and steer showing a please of paper the case when they demanded more would not do more than pover the work guilty of such a grave offence as child. 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My wife came with cost of labour, carriage, chests, lekin &c., sterling he would render himself liable to chair he is strapped into it, and one of the foreign agusies, and that accordingly the strong, faithful and trace in an angry bandit, but relying upon the safe me. We were both taken to the Tung and on the safe part of the first to rally sgaines the being described as burglar proof he was being described as burglar proof the was being described as burglar proof the was never so ship follows:

To schieve this result and encourage this followsitisms—who do not seem to as many mored by these appears as many mored by these appears as strokes with a coordingly the had three fingers aliced off for his pains by a boat. I did so. My wife came with coartinge, chests, lekin &c., stesting the would render himself liable to the fund of the deported. The present lactal would members of the audior their losses are rigidly carry out the law arm duty bound; a strap while another bolds the protect of the law arm duty bound; a strap while another bolds the partial would members of the audior than a strapped into it, and one of the four deported. The present lactal would members of the audior than a strapped into it, and one of the fluth in the stream of the law arm duty bound; a strap while another bolds the protect of the law arm duty bound; and on one account abste the rigidly carry out the law arm duty bound; a strap while another bolds the protect of the partial would inconsist and one occurred to the latter of the law arm duty bound; and one occurred the protect of the partial would inconsist and one occurred to the latter of the law arm duty bound; and on one occurred the protect of the partial would be their losses are rigidly carry out the law arm duty bound; and on one occurred to the protect of the partial would inconsist the deported. The present lactal would members of the deported. The present lactal would members of the deported. The present lactal would members of the deported. The latter is no doubt their losses are rigidly carry out the law arm duty bound; and on one occurred were examined by these being foiled. The Democratic partial would be deported. Th souls. The candidates who are on their doubt, have no more faith in burglar-proof in Hongkong and I was also a broker for last week that the chief of the notices had In the present case way back from the craminations are bring- safes, but will henceforth keep his master's the engagement of labourers to send to esgaped. We now hear that this man has because he lust his the stage, and at the same time the strap

HER Majesty's ship Sapphire, 12 guns, tho last wooden corvette built for the Royal Navy before the introduction of composite shipbuilding, has been condemned as unfit for further service, and is ordered to be sold out of the Royal Navy, The Sapphire was built about sixteen years ago, at a cost of about eighty-seven thousand pounds. She has served four commissions abroad. the last being on the China Station.

THE whole of the Pelyang squadron has been, we hear, most satisfactorily docked The following is from the Peking Gazette Trinfollowing was the distribution of Foreign at Port Arthur; but the process takes so __The Vicercy Chang Chih-tung states that to account that the defendant was provided men-of-war at the River Ports according long, that it is in contemplation to con- when he left Canton to take up his present with certain authority from the Po Leung Presbyterian Mission, Newchwang, to men-or-war at the rever rous accounting rous, the barrowed and brought with him Kuk, but he did not think he had exercised which Dr Greig belonged, sends us (N.-C. me has for its object to make the state loan Kashmir with the previous permission and gon-vessel Redpole, the German gun-boat one. There is only one small drawback to 2,000 Lee rifles, 2,000,000 cartridge, 18 his powers properly. He did not want to Dady News) from Kuanchengtzes translation abortive, which I was charged, singled out consent of the Viceroy. Wolf, and a Russian cruiser; at Kinking, the existing dock. The sides, instead of Krupp 72 inch field guns and 9,000 cannon punish him severely, however, and he of a proclamation issued some time ego by amongst my colleagues, to negotiate. the French gun-boat Aspic; at Wuhu, the consisting of a number of steps, are con-French gun-boat Vipere, the British curiser structed with only three steps, which causes some extra trouble and expense in shoring up vessels, especially ironclads,-

by the Viceroy of Nanking, to send any THE Brisbane directors of Raub have telearms they may have which require to be graphed expressing their satisfaction at the repaired to the Nanking or Shanghai news of the last crushing and asking that amounting to Tis. 48,313.2.9 should be Arsenals for that purpose. This is in con- their congratulations be given to Mr Bibby. repaid in five instalments spread over a sequence of the extensive dealings in arms It is announced that they have made a call period of five years, and that the field guns, in which it has been discovered the gun- of two-pence per share, payable on the 4th smith's shops were concerned. All these December. This call should yield between shops in Nanking have been closed up .- £5.500 and £6,000; and since the sale of the gold will put the company in ample order. Li Han-chang, in giving his assent presumed that the new call is intended for be recorded in a memorial addressed to the the purchase of still additional machinery. Eastern sharsholders will be asked to pay the health of the city has much improved. To cents per share in place of 2d.; which is - Rescript: Let the Yamén concerned take about the current rate of exchange.

> in their attitude, and the general average of the crops fairly good. In some places they had suffered from the locusts, and from worms that stripped the growing grain of all its leaves and blades, and so prevented it from forming heads of grain. But all this was local, and there will be no real failure in the food supply, as it will distribute itself to where the need exists from the sections where there is plenty. -N.-C. Daily News.

of his was recently arrested for illegally to the best of my knowledge and belief, entering the United States, and was sent strictly a true tale. Once upon a time (re- | and Co. from the Memorandem of Astoto San Francisco. He had first sent home | cently) a Chinese maiden stood, fancy free, | ciation, the name of Messra Shewan and all his savings, the result of several years' looking out of the doorway of her father's .Co. being substituted. At an extraordinary expense. The exodus was therefore nothing more than one of the tricks for which the 'heathen Chines' is peculiar.

A connessonment writes from Peking to the Times: It is worth mentioning that Admiral Richards, when visiting Peking two months ago, passed twice through Tientsin without taking any notice of La-Bungchang : this no doubt to mark the Admiralty's sonse of his treatment of Captain Lang. The Viceroy was astonished at such the young folks took up the matter de. somewhere else, no one seems to know. As a departure from the customary procedure. and the incident made a profound and most salutary impression on him, showing him the marriage contract. The marriage took the people pay little attention to them now. that the English were not going to truckle to him either for commercial contracts or anything else. Trivial as it may seem, the incident had much to do with the urgent advice subsequently given by his Excellency to his Government to satisfy Lord Salisbury of excellent character and disposition. at any price.

When one of the officers of the s.s. Ella. writes the Shanghai Mercury, was asked how he liked the naval blue-jackets on board the vessel at Ichang, he stated that he never had better shipmates in his life, and was This reminds us of a remark concerning Leung Kuk Society, was charged with front of his cage, and whichever he in-

to sacrifice all his belongings and divided on the spot, to the intense dakan recently and I came here to take ceedingly doubtful. his entire family of eighteen diegust of the accountant, who will, no back goods. I was a money-lender while It was stated in our report from Tek Hua will not be allowed to escape. there large implifies of these independent of these independent in the custom of Sandakan. There were no young girls on large body of him successful and could not find which is being held at the opposite corner distributing them the Chinese who follow the ancestral ways (!)

The Chinese way and the Chinese who follow the ancestral ways (!)

The Chinese way and the Chine

-We are sorry to have to record the death of Lieutenant-Commander Joseph Marthon. of the U.S.S. Palos, the sad event taking place yesterday morning at the Shanghai ill at Nanking on Wednesday week, and it suspicious. The defendant was furnished measures to be put a stop to than those at was found necessary to bring him down to Shanghai. The Palos arrived here on Tuesday and Captain Marthon was taken to the Hospital. He was then vory ill and his mind was wandering, for when he left the ship he shook hands with his officers and wished them a presperous voyage. He was very desponding at the time. On Wednes-THE Pallas, Captain M'Leod, arrived at | day afternoon a friend went to see him, and Gibraltar on the 15th ult., and left again on enquiring how he was Captain Marthon at noon the next day. She took five days said he felt better; but he only lived some from Portsmouth, owing to encountering eighteen hours afterwards. The deceased a fierce gale in the Bay of Biscay. She was reckoned an energetic officer, a reputaproved a good seabout, and averaged 131 tion he deserved when we consider the late knots an hour during the last twenty-eight | troubles on the river. The little Pales was hours of her voyage. She reached Malta always on hand when wanted, and she was the first man of war to reach Wusuch after the massacre of the two Englishmen at that

magazine at Wuchang to be issued and used sufficient. as required. The understanding was that the cost of the foregoing articles was to be repaid to Canton by the provincial treasury of Hupeh. As, however, there were no funds in hand for the purpose, the memorialist arranged with Li Han chang that the price carriages and ammunition should be made good in kind as soon as the arsenal in Hupeh was opened and got into working funds for ordinary working operations, it is to this arrangement, asked that it should Throne, and the memorialist takes this opportunity of complying with his request.

measures in regard to the situation in Indo-Ohins and Tong King pending the completion of the Colonial Budget and the measures to be submitted to the Chamber. It is already known that the vote in sid for Tyler..... Tong-King amounts to f.10,000,000, and that from Cochin China to f. 8,000,000. The Governor-General proposes to reduce the vote from Cochin China, and to increase that of the Home Government. The Government, without actually adopting the figures of M. de Linessan, are agreed as to the wisdom of this policy. It inclines to reduce by one million the subvention paid by Occhin China, and to increase by six millions that of the capital, so that altogether Tong-King would receive ing the proposed alterations in the Com-THE Italian Government have decided to twenty-three millions. This addition is pany's Memorandum of Association. Mr urge the Italian Railway Company to im- intended to cover the cost of increasing the Leach (Acting Attorney G neral), instructed | business. prove their line and rolling stock, increase armament by twelve new gunboats (bring by Messra Wotton and Diggen, appeared their rate of speed, and take the train right | ing the number of these armed vessels up | for the petitioners. on the pier at Brindisi. The Ministry will to eighteen), and for the enlistment of undertake to repair the harbour of Brindisi 3,000 militiarin the Annamite regiments. the Companies Memorandum of Associaand improve the lights on the coast. With So that with the 7,500 European troops, tion Ordinance, 1890, for the confirmation these improvements the Italian Government and the 9,000 native troops in Tong King, by the Court of a special resolution passed

warded home to China at the Government's | saw him she fell in love with him. She have that man as my husband.' This speech led to inquiries, and it was found that the young man was of a good family, was educated, and had a position which gave him a substantial support; and he was not engaged to be married. These inquiries awakened responsive schoos. Quoth the young man, 'The woman that wants streets that the standard of rob-lion was me is the woman I want.' A go-between | be raised between the 13th and 15th of this was soon busily employed, the parents of moon. But whether at Chinkiang or liberately and carefully, presents were ex- reports of this and similar nature have been changed, and in due time they prepared started so often during the last few months, place a few weeks ago. I will merely add | Our Chifu and Chihaien are especially that an American lady, eminently qualified | alert, and are said to frequently go shout to be a judge in the premises, gives her the streets at night in citizen's, clothes, and opinion of the bride thus: 'She is quiet, are thus keeping themselves informed as to modest, lady-like, and seems to be a person

> THE POWERS OF THE PO LEUNG KUK.

CHARGE AGAINST ONE OF THE SOCIETY'S

'Who is this man?' The defendant then told me to leave the cabin, and when I said wait a minute till I lock up my watches'

by the Stoffette, which left Aden for Bom. Holland, has been appointed a member of roborated his own, and a Chinese Police bers that the Imperialists were prezzled to assembled the foreigner and his assistant; disappeared from his place of concealment. bay a short time ago, outward bound; as the Board of War. His Excellency will Sergeant said he saw the defendant holding know how to deal with them. The latest and afterwards brought a false charge in full view of both audience and comwere on their way to the Tung Wah.

The defendant was instructed to to be to catch this chief, he is never to be go on board the steamer and to found when wanted. arrest the complainant if he found anything

with written authority to do this. The authority was given under the regulations

tion was did he exercise it in a reasonable checking the orders of the authorities

that evidence could be given as to natives and we already hear of some of the the nature of the information against gad results. A man who invested \$18, the the complainant, the principal witness whole of his fortune, committed suicide by on that point being at present in Canton. He also desired a remand in order to get the evidence of persons who were on

He thought the best would have return, hanged herself in her kitchen. been to bring this matter before the Civil Court, in which case a romand would no doubt have been granted but he could not possibly grant it in this case, He took in-

MASONIC.

гоосном LODGE, No. 1,912. At the regular meeting of this Ledge of the rifles and the cast of their transport | held at Foochow on the 4th inst., the following election took place :--

> Wor, Master Bro, H. B. Weeks. Tyler Bro. J. M. Kidd. IONIC LODGE, NO. 1,781.

held at Amby on the 10th inst., the following was the election :-

Wor. Master... Wor. Bro. W. C. Howard CORINTHIAN LODGE, NO. 1,806.

At the regular meeting of this Lodge, THE French Cabinet is delaying active | held at Amoy on the 14th inst., the following was the election :---

Wor, Master...Wor. Bro. A. J. Hadley. Treasurer Wor, Bro. P. N. Jenkins. Bro. H. J. Ward.

SUPREME COURT

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. (Before Sir James Russell, Chief Justice.) Tuesday, November 24.

IN THE MATTER OF THE HONGKONG BOPE MANUFACTURING CO., LIMITED. This was a petition for an order confirm-

Mr Lunch said-This is a petition under passed omitting the name of Mesars Russell work, and then deliberately crossed the house. A youth near her own age was meeting of the company held on the 17th border that he might be captured and for | passing along the street, and as soon as she | August the resolution was daly confirmed. The Bongkong and Shanghai Banking Corquietly said to a member of the household poration, who are creditors of the company, who stood by her side. 'I should like to have given their consent to the alteration." His Lordship granted the order.

CHINKIANG.

(N.-C. Daily News' correspondent.) Reports have been circulating in our

what is really going or. There is quite a rivalry between two krge theatres here, and they resort to numerous tricks to draw the people. The latest was one of them announcing some time ago that they had a dragon in their possession, and that all plays were to be produced in his bonour. As this dragon had the power of appearing now as a large snake, and now as Before Mr Wise in the Police Court a small lizard, no one could doubt his to-day, Mok Chi, a detective of the Po genuineness. The list of plays was put in its doors for want of patronage. But yes-

16th November.

FOOCHOW NOTES. (Foochore Echo, 21st November.)

of peace, offering to return to their houses committed! Lo Wan Kai, vice-president of the Po if they are allowed to do so unpunished; Lenng Kuk, stated that information had further, that the general agrees to these been given to the society that the com- terms on the condition of the chief being plainant was taking five women to Borneo. handed over to him. The difficulty seems

The Hua Hui lottery requires stronger present adopted by the authorities. It may not be so openly conducted as it was, of the Society which were approved by the but it goes on just the same as before, the splendid bribes paid to the Yamen run-His Worship said he was satisfied that ners by the proprietors of the lottery, the defendant had authority, but the questo be blind to what they see, effectually being carried out. This form of gamb-Dr Ho Kai asked for a remand in order ling is particularly fascinating to the throwing himself over the bridge; and a married woman, during the temporary absence of her husband, pawned every pawnable article in her house to buy tickets, His Worship declined to grant a remand, and, fearing her husband's anger on his

THE ATTACK ON DR GREIG.

The Rev. James Carson, of the Irish balls, all of which were placed in the thought a fine of five dollars would be the Taotai of Kirin, giving the result of his investigation of the charge brought against I have more delicacy in not divulging than Dr Greig. Mr Carson writes that the they, have pushed their audacity so far as proclamation had only just reached him, to state that those negotiations had not although posted up in Kirin more than a been authorised, and that the debts conmonth, and the agent of the Mission had tracted by me had no avouchable object, considerable difficulty in procuring a copy. instead of acknowledging that these sums It is interesting as giving the Chinese were employed in preparing the loan sucversion of the affair, and corroborates in all | cossfully. important particulars the account of the I could add that I received from my Gooutrage which has already appeared. Of verument the miserable pittance of 24,000 has sent the following official statement course it is considerably modified and toned france only.

> doctors whom be consulted in Shanghai (Tls. 30,000,000), telegraphic correspon-At the regular meeting of this Lodge, and in Ohefoo, they being all of opinion dence in cipher included, of which each that it will take a year at home to restore | Chinese character (rendered by four code

PROCLAMATION ISSUED BY THE TAOTAL OF Minister of Finance!

plaintiff You Kwei-chang, father of said garrison who assisted him in the search for this lad and others-six in all.

These witnesses were all separately and carefully interrogated, with the following

It appears that Yau Chao-boa, &c. were at the public school on the 3rd of the 7th (of whom one especially bore me moon; when about noon of the day in grudge for frequenting the salone rather question they were dismissed for dinner. | then the churches) -- have ruined me, and Because study was found to be very irk. their recent reports have just furnished some they resolved to run away from school | them with arms against me. and escape to Kuanchengtze, there to enter

Paerhho gate, and by a circuitons route the '4th Estate' too much to think ill of reached the Erhtaoling rand, where they it, and I intend that the dirty linea shall managers were Mesers Russell and Co., the former companion, son of Tung Yungpartners of which residing in Hongkong his an spothecary. And the latter, THE Scoolow correspondent of the N.-C. were adjudicated bankrupt in July 1891, because of the lateness of the hour, An explanation of the attempted exodus of of peace perhaps you, gentle reader, may It then became necessary and desirable to questioned them closely as to their destina-States has been given by a Chinaman in love once ran smoothly in China. In the extraordinary meeting was held on 1st were proceeding at Kuanchengize to learn jail at Tueson. He said that a countryman outset, let me assure you that the story is, August 1891, when a special resolution was business. No mention of undue influence. intention of next morning returning them Yau Kw'ei-ch'ang on the disappearance

of his child ma e inquiries in every direction, but could find no trace of him ; quite to remain private, I consider it my duty to stan, and it is also clear that the Russian unexpretedly, however, he met a man called publish it. It hints at some explanations, Government has no desire to keep the mat-Liô returning from Kuanchengtze, who informed him that he had passed some half dozen children at Lacyuling in the company of the foreigner and his party. You Kw'eichiang, on hearing this, suspected that the foreigner had decoyed the children and was

brgged to be punished accordingly.

for the information of all. diers and citizens alike may be put in pos- difficulty in unravelling.

session of full particulars. Hereafter let each one endeavour to do his duty and be law-abiding in the hope that peace may prevail between Chinese and foreigners. Do not wilfully create disturbance, and bring upon yourselves condign punish-

Let each and all give particular heed and A Special Notification. Translated by James Carson. Kuanchengize, Newchwang.

translation :-

'GENERAL' TCHENG KI-TONG. Mr Tcheng Ki-tong has written a letter to Mr Henri Bryois in French, of which the Shanghai Mercury gives the following

My DEAR BRYOIS,-I have received your letter, bufore I left Foochow. Instead of writing, I expected to meet you in Tientsin or Shanghai, but we crossed each other

Tientsin, 10th Nov., 1891.

My enemies, animated by interests, which

Is it possible to negotiate during eight Dr. Greig has been ordered home by the months a state loan of 200 million france words) costs 20 francs? I appeal to svery

Instead of helping me to reimburse my On the 5th day of the 7th moon of creditors, my amiable enemies have profit-Kwang Hail (9th August 1891), I received | ed by this occasion to plan my destruction. orders from His Excellency Tartar-General | They had a clear field all the more to them-Ch'ang, deputing me to investigate the selves since the promoter of the loan died, were killed, and 31 British soldiers and alleged case of kidnapping of the lad Yau leaving numerous adversaries behind.

I have Li Hung-chang's authority for Accordingly I summoned into court the stating that the loan was positively decided staff were travelling by the train, but it upon. But, after mature reflection, I pre- is believed they escaped without in mry. Yau Chao-bon, corporal in the General's fer to be calumniated rather than dishon-Guards, together with those of the same our, in the eyes of Foreigners, those representatives of my country whose prestige | York Chamber of Commerce favours the could be diminished thereby.

> in the Press? The flatteries of the is concluded between the States and the newspapers having excited the jea- other commercial nations. lousies of my dear countrymen-

Have I mot always been reluctant

damage anyone through the channel of the The lade left the city of Kirin by the Press, or to white-wash myself? I respect

now, cultivation has latter on so much that I regret the people of Luzon depends upon Saigon for supplies to Man depends upon Saigon for supplies to mail is despatched by Salonica, a train of make up for shortcomings. As matters were recognised by a continuous also arrived at the same village. Here the scholars were recognised by a these measures. —London and Chinese Ex. 3,000 shares of \$50 each. The general Here the scholars were recognised by a continuous also arrived at the same village. Here the scholars were recognised by a continuous also arrived at the same village. The general Here the scholars were recognised by a continuous also arrived at the same village. The general Here the scholars were recognised by a continuous also arrived at the same village. The general Here the scholars were recognised by a continuous also arrived at the same village. The general think proper, tell him; without displeasing result. reasons of my annoyance and my silence.

Daily News writes :- In these piping times and the firm ceased to carry on business. brought them into his house, where he It is impossible for me to tell you all the Chinese from Mexico into the United be pleased to hear how the course of true procure new managers. Accordingly an tion. They all agreed in stating that they to trump up we charge on my account, to accordingly an I have a difficult battle to fight, but my with a gentleman, whose name is not given.

believe me, in spite of all,

which I shall give later on. HENEI BETOIS.

MRS BESANT'S MAHATMAS. Mrs Beaut's mysterious friends, the

he heatened late at night to Tesweihes; and lyne in his crusade against latter day been sent to conclude a commercial treaty there, from the picket-station, was joined miracles, which he conceives to be based with Russis, will be received in audience Chang Yang to at and two others who upon imposture. Here I am at the Egyp by the Ozer at Catachina about the middle proceeded with him to the inn of Ch'iao Lin. | tian Hall, he says in effect; 'the public of December. There they found the foreigner and may see me any day; they may even walk his assistant, but did not see the lade up on the platform and crowd round me; Whereupon they imagined that the children and then, without turning down a single were somewhere secreted, and asked what gas-burner, I will produce enough tamhad become of them. The foreigner and bouring playing by invisible hands, floating his party pleaded ignorance. You Kwei- bodies, and such-like latter-day miracles as ch'ang was now still more suspicious. And | would start a score or more of founders of in a momentary fit of passion best and new and select sects very comfortably in bruised the foreigner and his assistant with | business.' As to the Mahatmas, well really. the backs of their swords and riding whips. | as be assures the audience who crowd his Their sole object in doing so was to so little place of entertainment, the task of frighten them that they would produce the mere imitation is too simple to be even atlads. The assistant declared that he had tempted. People who frequent the Egypseen six children at Shiansweihea (5 li from | tian Hall expect to see better things than let-Fusweihea) but did not know what had ters precipitated fromabove throughalittle crevice in a hearded cailing; and as to pro-At daylight. You Kwei-ch'ang, still in ducing finger rings out of the atmosphere quest of his child, found him and the other by means, of a subtle knowledge of the in the apothecary's shop. After learning mysterious forces of nature, why, has not all the particulars of the case he and his that admirable conjuror and coadjutor of party returned to the city and to his Mr Maskelyne's, Mr Morritt, been producsuperior officer accused the foreigner of ing out of the air nightly for some time nest auch trifles as billiard-balls, eggs, Inasmuch as the case was referred to me bushels of roses, and oven live animals ? by his Excellency I summoned all parties! No, if the Mahatmas were to be defied into court and took their evidence. It was they must also be outdone. Mr Maskelyne clearly proved that Yau Chao-boa and the undertakes therefore to precipitate not ment. Sir John added, would be glad to other scholars had played trusht, and were a letter but a human being. A small raised afraid of being punished; and there was no platform is placed upon the stage, and at creased sait duty, but it was impossible to Yang-hen and Chriso Lin also appeared which slides a green baize curtain enabling rue election at conk cury-un parametes before the Court and their testimony tallied | the occupant of the chair to be concealed moin every respect with the foregoing. More, mentarily from view. Between the plat- The election for the vacancy in Cork, over. Yau Kwei-ch'ang himself now con- form upon which the chair rests and the City caused by the death of Parnell has fessed that he had acted wrongly and real or stage platform there is a clear apace, resulted in the return of Mr Flavin, Antiand in order that it may not be supposed Parnellite. The voting was as follows :-Let it be borne in mind that China treats ; that this space is provided with a looking. Flavin, Anti-Parnellite, 3,669; Mr John foreigners with great grace and conder glass, as in the Pepper's ghost illusion. Redmond, Parnellite, 2,147; Captain Sarescension; and that the Middle Kingdom Mr Maskelyne's assistants walk round the field, Unionist, 1,161.

> Jy | curtains are drawn. Immediately the hand lete fall the magnet with a loud bang on takes but a second or two, and the cortains | secident at Nagpur.

Court d'Arnonn having been transferred WE hear the Italian craiser Volume is to WE learn from Native sources that H.E. The evidence of the complainant's wife and his party were utterly routed, but they In the heat of passion and without satis- are drawn up again; whereupon, hey stay in Chinese waters until she is relieved | Hun, ex-Minister to Russia, Gormany and and his mother-in-law substantially cormost men-of-war don't believe in negotiat- take up his new office on the 9th of the complainant by the queue while they news is that the ricters have proposed terms against him. Really, a grave mistake was mittee of inspection. In another minute, Therefore in addition to punishing Yau from the back of the audience, he walks Kwei-ch ang and others as by law provided up to the platform, and is received with I feel it my duty to issue this proclamation | tumultuous applause. - Such is the newest mystery at the Egyptian Hall, and it is one Consequently this notification that sol- which the knowing ones will have some

> NEWS BY THE ENGLISH MAIL.

OHIO AND SILVER. New York, 5th November. - The result of the Ohio Elections is regarded as removing the question of free silver coinage from active politics. Neither party it is now expected will advocate unlimited coinage; the Democrats attribute their defeat in Ohio to the free coinage plank in their

programme. RUSSIA ON THE PAMIRS. Allahabad, 5th November. - The Vicoro found on his return to Sringgar, that not only were Captain Younghusband and Lieutenant Davison, awaiting him, but also Prince Galitsin, the Russian explorer, who turned up with a few Russian followers at Sringer, late on Tuesday evening.

Prince Galitsin, who is a private nobleman, is totally unconnected with the Central . . . All the hatred against Asian administration, and comes to

BEHIOUS RAILWAY ACCIDENT IN INDIA-BEVERAL LIVES LOST. Bombay. November 6th. - A Railway accident surpassing in disastrous conscquences any casualty of past years occurred. this morning on the G. I. P. Railway : ten persons were killed and 35 injured according to information which has reached here. No full details have vet been communicated, but the Traffic Manager to the press :- I regret very much to have to state that the Nagpur passenger train which left Bombay at 7.30 yesterday morning, the 4th instant; met with a serious accident this morning about twelves miles from Nagpur, owing to a tyro of the wheal of one of the two engines working the train having brossn. I am sorry to have to add that the information to hand states that the drivers of both engines, one European and one Native fireman, one guard and five British soldiers

The Commander-in-Chief of Bombay and

THE SILVER QUESTION. New York, 5th November, The New suspension of purchases and the coinage of And after all, why talk of me again silver, until an agreement on the question A RIDE THEOUGH CENTRAL ASIA.

Teheran, 5th November,-Two officers of the Russian Guards have arrived here from liftis, riding their own horses the whole way. The journey was accomplished in twenty-one days.

They intend proceeding to China via Beluchistan and India

THE DRITTER AND PORTUGUESE IN TYPICAL Lisbon, 5th November - The Portuabcidentally met with a foreigner Kao Chi. not be washed publicly. I have no more guess Commissioner appointed to execute. shan (Dr. Greig) and his assistant, who to say, then. I hope there are judges in the last African Convention between Porwere riding and driving. These the children Peking yet to thank Mr Richopin for his bique on his return homewards, his

PRINCE DAMBONG IN GERMANY. Berlin. November 6th. - Prince Damrong of Siam has arrived in Berlin, and will be received by the Emperor on Monday next.

BUSSIAN INTENTIONS ON THE PAMINS.". London, November 7th.—The St. James Gazette publishes the report of an interview consciouce is clear. Deplore me, and who has just returned from Control Asia. He is quite certain that the Russian officer. Captain Panoff, who arrested Captain Younghusband, acted with the full know-Although the above letter was intended ledge of the Governor General of Turkster secret. Russis, he considers, is making a bold attempt to come closer to the Indian Frontier.

EUSSIAN INTRICUES IN AVGNANISTAN AND St. Petersburg, November 6th. -It is

carrying them off. Accordingly, with Ma Mahatmas, afforded too tempting a subject announced here that the Ameer of Bokhara. Yu and others of the guard, three in all, to be left long undisturbed by Mr Maske- and the envoys from Afghanistan who have ME DE CIERS TO PROCEED TO PARTS.

Mr De Giers, Minister for Foreign Af. fairs, will shortly proceed on a visit to Paris to counterset the impression created by his recent interviews with King Humbert and the Marquis di Rudini.

THE POLICY OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA. London, November 8th. -Sir J. Gorat. Under Secretary for India, speaking at a meeting at the Liverpool Chamber of Commerce yesterday, said that the Government of India would neglect no financial opportunities for building railways and carrying out Irrigation works. At the same time they were desirous of encouraging private enterprise by every legitimate means. The Government were fully slive to the importance of extending the Indian railways to the Chinese frontier; but the wildness of tribes on the frontiers, and the physical condition of the country in Burmah, were serious obstacles. The opention of the adulteration of wheat and cotton was he said, receiving the serious attention of the Home Government. The Indian Governabolish the tax on rice and also the in-

THE AMERICAN STATE BLECTIONS AND THE SILVER QUESTION. Allahabad, November 9th, -10,20 Am.

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7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings. 8, From Blue Buildings to East Point, 9. From Kellett's Island to North Point. 10. Kowloon Wharves. 11. Jardine's Wharf.

Date (Flag and Destination. Consignees or Agents. Remarks. Tons. Vessel's Name. Stoumare Yokohama str. 3142 Nov. 9 P. & O. S. N. Co. To-morrow Calcutta, &c. 27th inst. atr. 1392 Nov. 20 D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. Nagazaki 1140 Oct. Btr. 1121 Nov. 24 C. M. S. N. Co. 3 c Phillips Brit. str. 1057 Nov. 21 Yuon Fat Hong San Francisco 5 cSearle Nov. 17 P. M. S. S. Co. To-morrow Amer. City of Poking Nov. 21 A. R. Marty str. 1570 Nov. 23 Mitsui Bussan Kaishia Brit. 3 c Humphrey Brit. 1566 Oct. 14 Mitau Bishi. str. 3003 Nov. 16 Dedwell, Carlill & Co. Empress of India o c Marshall Brit. 8th prox. Vencouver 509 Nov. 22 Douglas Steamship Co. 5 b DavisBrit. Coast Ports To-morrow atr. Hoihow, &c. 419 Nov. 23 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. To-morrow str. 1820 Nov. 19 Melchera & Co. Yokohama General Werder 10 Blanke Ger. str. str. 1764 Nov. 22 Dodwell, Carlill & Co. Shanghai 5 c Scotland Brit. To-morrow str. 1602 Nov. 23 P. & O. S. N. Co. 28th inst. Singapore. jā cJephsonBrit. str. 1183 Nov. 24 Douglas Steamship Co. London, &c. 1700 Nov. 20 Amhold, Karberg & Co. To-murkow atr. Nov. 22 Butterfield & Swire To-morrow atr. Hamburg str. 1136 Nov. 23 Siemssen & Co. 26th inst. K'loon Dock Lightning Pallett Brit. atr. 2124 Nov. 2 David Bassoon, Sons & Co. Calcutta, &c. atr. 1020 Nov. 24 Yuen Fat Hong Chefoo, &c. Nov. 24 Wieler & Co. 863 Nov. 10 Douglas Steamship Co. Kloon Dock str. 330 Nov. 24 Hop Hing Hong str. London, &c. 1970 Nov. 24 Amhold, Karberg & Co. To-morrow str. Pakshan 3 h Juckin Brit. Pekin 10 Harris Brit. str. 2138 Nov. 24 P. & O. S. N. Co. Shanghai To-morrow Shanghai str. 26th inst. Peshawur 5 c Wheler Brit. Europe, &c. Pilot Fish Fisopani Brit. tug/ Pollux....... 3 c HellmersGer. Yokohama To-morrow atr. Amoy and Shanghai Prirm 5 c Wilding Brit. 1802 Nov. 24 Butterfield & Swire atr. RioGer. str. 1287 Nov. 23 Wieler & Co. 823 Nov. 24 Meyer & Co. Cos'tan Dock | Haeshin 862 Nov. 9 Yuen Fat Hong Taichiow Unsworth Brit. str. str. atr. 1459 Nov. 19 Butterfield & Swire K'loon Dock Nelson Brit. Taiyuan Tamarind 3 c Castberg Norw. str. 885 Nov. 21 Wieler & Co. Iloilo Zatiro 3 c Cobban Brit. atr. 676 Nov. 23 Shewan & Co. Saliani Varquit 634 Nov. 22 Chinese 3 c Christensen ... Norw. bqe. Rosetta 8 c...... Amer. bqe. 1070 Nov. 22 Order Bery F. Hunt 9 c Howard Amer. bqe. 131 Nov. 24 Jardine, Matheson & Co. ő e Krippner Ger. sh. 1023 Nov. 21 Order

Her Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

856 Nov. 15 Captain

577 Nov. 15 Chinese

... Italian boe. 794 Oct. 25 Gonsalves & Co.

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Name.	Rig.	Tons.	Guns,	I,H,P,	Caplain.	Where at,
		1800	4	2100	0- CL- T 435-	Hakodate
Alacrity	deapatch-vensel	1700	4	3180	Com. Chas. H. Adair	
Archer	cruiser 3rd class	3500	6		Comd. J. Ferris	Waha
Carolino	cruiser 3rd class	1400	14	1440	Captain Clutterbuck	Shanghai
Egeria	surveying ship	740	-		Commander A. M. Field	Hongkong
Esk	g-bt. 3rd class coast defence	353	3	340		Shanghai (in dock)
Firebrau i	gunboat 2nd class	455	4	460	LieutCom. C. T. Baker	Chefoo
Hyacinth	cruiser 3rd class	1420	8	1190	Captain Robt. W. Craigie	Singapore
Impérieuse*	twinsorew battle ship	8400	10	10000	Captain Edmund S. Pos	Hakodate
Leindar	cruiser 2nd class	4300	10	5500	Oaptain Burges Watson	Port Bamilton
Linner	gun-verse 2nd class	756	Fs.	1050	Commander V. A. Tisdall	Bakcdate
Morcury	cruiser 2nd class	3739	13	7290	Capt. Chas. J. Balfour	Hakedate
Peacock	gunboat 1st class	- 700	6	1200	Lieut. Commander Ingram	Wuhu
_	gunboat 1st class	755	6	1200	Lieut. Com, Hewett	Hongkong
Pigmy Plover	gunboat let class	755	6	1200	Lieut. Com. Lewis Knox Bell	Hongkong
	cruiser 3rd class	1770		3500	Journander Burr	Hongkong
Porpoise	gunbost 1st class	715	8	1200	Lieut, Com, J. G. Hough	Singapore
Rattler	1 0	805	6	1200	Lieut. Com. F. Wm. Freeman	Chinkiang
Rodpole	gunboat 1st class	4050	12	6000	Captain Hall	Hakodate
Severa	cruiser 2nd class			10:00	Commander Robt. D. B. Bruce	Chinkiang
id wift	gan vesse 2nd class	758	Ü		Continuit del 1000t. D. 17. Didot	In reserve
Lasar	g-ht. 3rd class coast defence		3	340	Commodera P. T. Church	
Victor Emanuel	receiving ship	5157	14	1480	Commodore E. J. Church, A.D.C.	
Wivern	constdefenceship, armoured	2750	4	1450		Hongkong

Torped. Boats in Reserve Nos. 8, 2), 35, 36, 37 and 38, first class; and 3 second class boats. * Clays'nig of Vice-Atmirsl Sir Fred. W. Richards, K.C.B.

H. B. M. Ships' tonnago, displacements and affective horse powers are given according to H. M. Navy list.

Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

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Name.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Guna.	H.P.	Captain.	Where at.
			13.	41 13		
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Aleout	Russian gumboat	800	0 - 10		Captain Parenego	Negraski
Alert	U. S. corvette	1020	8		Captain Hitchcock	Canton
Alltanco	U, S, gunboat	615		2.5	Captain H. O. Taylor	Yokohama
Aspio	French gunboat,	470		450	Commander Journet	Kiukiang
Charleston	U. S. cruiser	3730	8		Captain Romey	Kobe
Diu	Portuguese gunboat	.766	-		Captain H. M. Gomes	Canton
Iltia	German gunboat	439	-		Captain Ascher	Hankow
Inconstant	French gunboat	800	1. 1.7		Capt. de Jonquières	Kinkiang
Kongo	Јараћево скијвог	2240	-		Captain Hidaka	Yokohama
Koreyetz	Russian gunboat	1200	-	1	Captails Filissof	Vladivostock
latin .	Freach guaboat	485	4 -	425	Captain Nony	Touron
Mandjour	Russian gun-yeasel	1100	9	1200	Captain Kass	
Munin	U. S. dorvette	1900	7	1170	Commander Dye	Koba
Mm ocacy	U. S. sloop	1370	. 6	1470	Lieut, Com. M. L. Johnson	Henkow
Palos	U.S. gunboat	430	₽6	500	LieutCom. Craig	Shanghai
Pluvier	French unbost	540	-	420	LieutCommander Lapied	Reiphong
Roins Cristins	Spanish cruiser	3000	about 1	0.00	Captain Inglisias	Manila
Sivoutch	thusan orniser	900	13.15	1000	Commander Plaksir	Hankow
Swatara	U. S. corvetta	(- 1	-		Commander John McGowan	Kobe
Priomphante	French orniser	4500	-	J. 11	Capt. de Cornulier	Wooding
Valagos	Spanish cruiser	A	50 4	-	Captain Ferrandes	Shanghai
Villare	Franch orniser	يسمى ال	-	- 3	Captain Thounes	Shanghai
Vipere	Franci gunboat	480	4	425	Commander Constella	Wahn
Volturno	Italian gunboat	346	100	_	Captain Roych	Hankow
Wladimir Monomakh	Russian ironglad	8000	- C - C - C - C - C - C - C - C - C - C		Captain Donbassor	Vladivostock
Wolf	Garman punnerel	384	8	340	Captain Hallhoff	Hankow
Vamato	Jananese corrette	1470			Captain Morosoku	Shaprahai

SHIPPING IN CHIEFA, JAPAN PHILIPPINES & STATE

WATERS,

WHAMPOL Ardgay

Ashington Choyeang Ger. str. Lyeemoon Mary Stewart Brit, book

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in port on blovember ic, 1881. MERCHANT STRAMERS. Cheang Chew British Glucksburg German

British Yorkshire MERCHANT SATRING WESSELL Alice Mary Angle Indian Brit, bue. Anna Berther

Augusta Valkyrien Brit. bqo.

FOOOHOW. In port on November 14, 1891. MERUHANT BYRAMERIC

Chingtu British British Glenshiel Myrmidon British

> CHANGHAT. In port on November 16, 1891.

MERCHANT STRAWARD, Anshin Maru Japanese Brindisi British British Feilung Chinese Kin Ling Kwang Les Chinese Menmuir British French British Palingros British Peshawur British Soyang

Sachsen German Sual Yokohama Maru Japanese MERCHANT RAILING WERENESS

British

Sea Swallow NAGASAKL

In Port on November 14, 1891. HeleneRichmersGer. brig Kozaki Maru Japan, bg.

AOKORYMY. In port on November 12, 1891.

In post on Nevember 31, 1831. Albania Marquis of Lorne Brit, boe. W. J. Rotch Amer. . B.

MANILA.

In Port on November 2, 1801.

MERCHANY STRAWERS AND BALLING PERSONS, Alex. Yests Brit. ph. U.S. Span. sta H.K. & Ansoy Don Juan Brit. Str. H.R. & Attory Esmeralda Span. str. Provinces Francisco Reyer Spans str. Singapore Amer. sh. Hoston Grandes Isla de Panay Span. ... spr. Spain, &t. Michele Lazzarone Ital. str. Laverport Mount Hebron Brit. str. Liverpool St. Katherine Amer. bqe, U.S.

MERCHANT SATIRE YERRES. A. J. Marshall Brit. bos. U.S.

In port on November & 1861. WEROHANT SAILING VESSELL